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CONNECTOR FOR INSULATED WIRES

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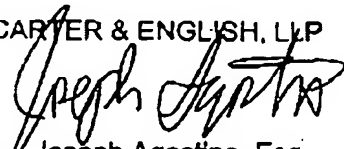
AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to a first Office Action with a mailing date of August 6, 2004, the time
In addition, Applicant's attorneys have determined that a fee of \$279 is
believed to be due to cover the thirty-one (31) additional claims submitted by way of this
Amendment. Accordingly, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge this \$279 fee to
Deposit Account No. 50-1402. If there are any additional fees due as a result of this
Amendment, including, without limitation, extension and petition fees, the Examiner is
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Respectfully submitted,

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 - minus 3 =	* 5
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
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Independent	* 2	Minus *** 3	= -
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OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

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X42=	
+140=	
TOTAL	438.00

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	750.00
X\$18=	
X84=	
+280=	
TOTAL	

SMALL ENTITY OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=	279.00
X42=	
+140=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	279.00

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$18=	
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TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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